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SUBJECT: WTDR - ODENWALD KONSERVEN GMBH

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1. ADDRESS: 31 BANHOFSTRASSE, 6127 BREUBERG, WEST GERMANY,
CABLE NONE, TELEX: 04 191912, PHONE: 06165- 823, OFFICER:
JOH. HEINR. KABEL, MANAGER.

2. THIS FRUIT AND VEGETABLE CANNING COMPANY WAS ESTABLISHED
IN 1949 AND UNTIL 1973 IN THE POSSESSION OF THE FAMILY KOEBLER.
IN 1973 THE FIRM WAS PURCHASED BY THE AMERICAN COMPANY W.R.
GRACE & CO., NEW YORK, N.Y. THE FIRM HAS 175 EMPLOYEES AND
25 CONTRACTED SALES REPRESENTATIVES. ALTHOUGH OF MEDIUM SIZE,
THE FIRM IS LEADING IN ITS LINE OF PRESERVED FRUITS, APPLESAUCE
AND OTHER STEWES, PRESERVED AND SOLD IN GLASS CONTAINERS
(BOTTLES). ANOTHER LESS IMPORTANT LINE IS THE WHOLESALE OF
FRESH FRUIT, WITH WHICH THE KOEBLER FAMILY ALREADY STARTED IN
1910. SALES AREA ARE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

3. FINANCIAL REFERENCE: DRESDNER BANK AG, DARMSTADT,
MORGAN GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY, FRANKFURT, TRADE REFERENCE:
SUEDZUCKER, GROSS - GERAU.

4. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED OR LICENSING AGREEMENTS: NONE.

5. THE FIRM IS REGISTERED AS A CORPORATION ON SHARES

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WITH A NOMINAL CAPITAL OF DM 5.2 MILLION, SOLELY HELD BY

W.R. GRACE & CO., NEW YORK, N.Y. THE FIRM HAS A VERY GOOD REPUTATION AND ITS FINANCIAL SITUATION IS ORDERLY? IT IS OWNER OF CONSIDERABLE REAL ESTATE. NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED ON PAYMENTS. RECOMMENDED AS A GOOD BUSINESS CONTACT FOR U.S. FIRMS.

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